

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 23-24 and 26-27 without prejudice.

1-21. (Canceled).

22. (Currently Amended) An object, comprising:

a support frame having a single foldable frame member that has a folded and an unfolded orientation, the frame member defining a periphery for the support frame;

a frame retaining sleeve for retaining the frame member; and

a ~~[[covering]] piece~~ placed over but not enclosing the support frame, the ~~[[covering]] piece~~ being separate and removable from the support frame, and the ~~[[covering]] piece~~ having the same configuration as the frame member in the unfolded orientation;

wherein the frame member is collapsible to the folded position by twisting and folding to form a plurality of concentric rings to substantially reduce the size of the support frame in the folded position.

23-24. (Canceled).

25. (Currently Amended) An object, comprising:

a support frame having a single foldable frame member that has a folded and an unfolded orientation, the frame member defining a periphery for the support frame; and

a ~~[[covering]] piece~~ placed over but not enclosing the support frame when the support frame is in the unfolded orientation, the ~~[[covering]] piece~~ being separate and removable from the support frame, and the ~~[[covering]] piece~~ having the same configuration as the frame member in the unfolded orientation;

wherein the frame member is collapsible to the folded position by twisting and folding to form a plurality of concentric rings to substantially reduce the size of the support frame in the folded position.

26-27. (Canceled).